



West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board

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NOTIFICATION

In terms of the West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board Act, 2014 , the State Govt. in the Higher Education Deptt. has conferred the West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board (WBJEEB) the status of a Statutory Body. As per provisions of this Act, the WBJEEB shall conduct examination, counseling and admission process in respect of Degree Level Engg. Technology, Pharmacy and Architecture courses in the academic session 2016-17.

And whereas, for admission into the UG courses in Engineering/Technology/Pharmacy /Architecture, it is essential for the candidates to appear in the State Common Entrance Examination i.e. West Bengal Joint Entrance Examination for Engineering & Medical- 2016 (WBJEEM-2016) or the National Level Common Entrance Examination i.e. Joint Entrance Examination Main-2016 (JEE MAIN-2016) and **secure a rank, as admission shall not be made on the basis of marks obtained in the 10+2 level of examination alone.**

And whereas, it has been decided by the State Govt. in the Higher Education Department to continue conduct of web-based online counseling (e-counseling) and admission process through WBJEEB for the academic session of 2016-17 also, for admission to undergraduate level Engineering, Technology, Pharmacy and Architecture courses in respect of all AICTE approved and State Technical University (MAKAUT) affiliated Engineering & Technology, Pharmacy and Architecture Colleges as well as Universities/University Departments conducting such courses in the state of West Bengal.

The guidelines for e-counseling and admission process for academic session 2016-17 are provided hereunder:

WBJEEM-2016 GUIDELINES

1.0 Scope of participation in e-counseling and Admission Process :

1.1 For the 4- year Degree level Engg. & Tech. courses in respect of all AICTE- approved MAKAUT affiliated Engg. & Tech. Colleges, State Universities/Self-financing Private Universities of this State :

Candidates merit listed in the WBJEEM-2016 having General Merit Rank (GMR) and eligible for e-counseling (as stipulated by the WBJEEB in the Information Borchure-2016) are entitled to participate. Only for the Self-financing Degree-level Engg./Tech. colleges, candidates merit-listed in the All India Joint Entrance Examination -2016 (i.e. JEE Main-2016) having All India Merit Rank (AIR) and eligible for e-counseling (as stipulated by the WBJEEB in the Information Borchure-2016) are also entitled to participate against 10% sanctioned seats.

1.2 For the 4-year Degree-level Pharmacy Course in respect of all AICTE- approved Pharmacy Colleges (except Jadavpur University) of the State :

Candidates merit listed in the WBJEEM-2016 having Pharmacy Merit Rank (PMR) and eligible for e-counseling (as stipulated by the WBJEEB in the Information Borchure-2016) are entitled to participate. The candidates merit listed in the All India Common Entrance Examination-2016 (i.e. JEE Main-2016) having All India Rank (AIR) and eligible for e-counseling (as stipulated by the WBJEEB in the Information Borchure-2016) are also entitled to participate against 10% of sanctioned seats.

1.3 For the 5-year Degree-level Architecture Course (B. Arch.) in respect of all AICTE and Council of Architecture (COA)-approved and MAKAUT-affiliated institutions, including Jadavpur University :

Candidates merit-listed in the WBJEEM-2016 having General Merit Rank (GMR) or candidates merit-listed in the All India Joint Entrance Examinations -2016. Paper-II i.e. JEE Main-2016 Paper-II (applicable only for Self-financing B. Arch.

Course) and eligible for e-counseling (as stipulated by the WBJEEB in the Information Borchure-2016) are entitled to participate .

Note : For all the above courses, candidates must fulfill the eligibility criteria as mentioned in clause no. 10.1 to 10.4 (Page No. 9-11) of the Information Brochure of WBJEEM-2016.

2.0 Availability of seats for Admission through the e-Counseling Process-2016.

Availability of seats (Department-wise) for various categories of institutions, as enumerated below, will be provided by the Directorate of Technical Education, Govt. of West Bengal. The same will be hosted in the counseling portal in the form of a Seat Matrix.

2.1 Govt. Engineering & Technology Colleges/State-Aided Universities/University Departments.

For Govt. Engineering and Technology Colleges, 100% seats shall be available for admission through the West Bengal Joint Entrance Examination -2016 on the basis of General Merit Rank (GMR) in Engineering.

However, in case of State-aided University/University Departments, seats available will be finally decided by the concerned University authorities and the same will be reflected in the seat matrix to be uploaded in the counseling portal www.wbjeeb.nic.in.

2.2 Self-Financing Engineering & Technology, Architecture and Pharmacy Institutions and Self-financing Universities.

2.2.1. 10% of the affiliated seats in the Self-financing affiliated colleges shall be available for admission through All-India Joint Entrance Examination-2016 (i.e. JEE Main 2016) on the basis of All India Rank (AIR) for Engineering & Technology, Architecture and Pharmacy Courses.

For private/ self-financing Universities, if any, the final seat allocation details will be reflected in the seat matrix uploaded in the counseling portal www.wbjeeb.nic.in.

2.2.2. For Institutions opting for 10% of seats for admission through Management Quota (where admission shall be made by the Management of the Institutions), 80% of the

approved and affiliated seats shall be available for admission through WBJEEM -2016 on the basis of General Merit Rank (GMR) for Engineering & Technology and Architecture Courses and Pharmacy Merit Rank (PMR) for Pharmacy Courses. For the Self-financing institutes not opting to admit students under the Management Quota, 90% of the seats shall be available for admission through the counseling process to be conducted by the WBJEEB.

2.2.3. A separate counseling process will be held for filling up the designated 10% seats by the JEE Main - 2016 rank holders. Details are enumerated in this Notification in the subsequent paragraphs.

2.3 Availability of 5% Seats on supernumerary basis under the Tuition Fee Waiver (TFW) Scheme of AICTE for all category of Instt./University/University Deptts.

As per the TFW Scheme of AICTE, upto a maximum of 5% of the approved seats supernumerary in nature shall be available for admission through the WBJEEM-2016 on the basis of TFW Rank for the Institutions including Universities/University Departments **where at least 30% approved seats have been filled up course wise in the last academic year i.e. 2015-16 (as per Approval Process Handbook of AICTE)**. Accordingly, the TFW seats will be uploaded in the Web Portal www.wbjeeb.nic.in.

The TFW Scheme is applicable only for candidates domiciled in the State of West Bengal.

3.0 Admission for Reserved Category of Students :

3.1 Availability of seats for SC/ST Category

Reservation of seats for SC/ST candidates domiciled in West Bengal shall be made as per the State Govt. Rules, in respect of all Govt. Engineering & Technology Colleges as well as State-aided Universities/University Departments following the Gazette

Notification vide the West Bengal Act X of 2013, dated, 30th April, 2013 followed by the Rules vide Notification No. 07-Edn(U), dated, the 2nd January, 2014 published in the Kolkata Gazette vide Registered No. WB/SC-247, dated, 3rd January, 2014. For Self-financing Engineering & Technology, Architecture/Pharmacy Institutions , reservation

of seats for such students is not mandatory. However, seats may be made available voluntarily by willing Institutions, and this would be reflected in the Seat Matrix provided in the website for e-counseling.

3.2 Availability of seats for PwD (Persons with Disabilities) Category Students

Reservation of seats for PwD candidates domiciled in West Bengal shall be made as per the State Govt. norms for all Govt. Engineering & Technology Colleges as well as State-aided Universities/University Departments following the Gazette Notification vide No. 65-Edn(U), dated, 16.01.2014 i.e. persons with disabilities will enjoy reservation in each of the categories i.e. SC, ST, OBC-A and OBC-B category of seats as well as in the unreserved category of seats. For Self-Financing Engineering & Technology, Architecture /Pharmacy Institutes, reservation of seats for such students is not mandatory. However, seats may be made available voluntarily by willing institutions , and this would be reflected in the Seat matrix provided in the website for e-counseling.

3.3 Availability of seats for OBC-A and OBC-B Category students:

As per the Gazette Notification vide the West Bengal Act X of 2013, dated, 30th April, 2013 followed by the Rules vide Notificationno.07-Edn(U), dated, 2nd January, 2014 published in the Kolkata Gazette vide Registered no. WB/SC-247, dated, 3rd January, 2014, reservation of seats for such categories of students is applicable for Govt.

Engineering & Technology Colleges and State-Aided Universities/University Departments subject to certain pre-conditions such as prior approval of regulatory authorities, creation/availability of infrastructure etc. In the academic session of 2016-17, availability of seats for OBC-A category and OBC-B category would be reflected in the Seat Matrix provided in the website for e-counseling.

For Self-Financing Engineering & Technology, Architecture/Pharmacy Institutes, reservation of seats for such students is not mandatory. However, seats may be made available voluntarily by willing Institutions, which would be reflected in the Seat Matrix provided in the website for e-counseling.

4. Availability of seats for students under Defense Quota:

Altogether, 13(thirteen) seats in Govt. Engineering & Technology Colleges are available on supernumerary basis under this quota. Particulars of such seats, along with the procedure for availing such seats will be notified on the website of WBJEEB, prior to counseling.

Allotment of seats under this category shall be made on off-line basis by the West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board based on inter-se merit of applicants.

This category is outside the purview of the e-Counseling-2016.

5. Availability of seats for Minority Students:

For Self-financing Minority Institutions, admission shall be conducted in terms of G.O.No.305-Edn(T) dt.27.04.2016 to 50% seats of five institutions comprising Sikh Minority private / Self-financing professional Academic Institutions, and accordingly the Association of Minority Professional Academic Institutes (AMPAI) shall conduct a separate Common Entrance Examination namely "CEE-AMPAI-2016, WB" .

Similarly, in terms of G.O. NO. 304-Edn(T) dt. 27.04.2016 for admission to 50% approved seats of St. Mary's Technological Foundation, recognized as a Christian Minority Private Self-financing Professional Academic Institution , the institution shall conduct a separate Common Entrance Examination namely "CEE St. Mary's 2016".

The remaining 50% of the approved seats of such colleges would be filled up from candidates of WBJEEM-2016 through e-counseling, in addition to any seat meant for admission through aforesaid exams that remain unfilled / vacant, and which may be surrendered to the Directorate of Technical Education, Govt. of WB for filling up through e-counseling by WBJEEB.

6.0 Procedure for admission of students in Degree -level Engineering, Technology, Architecture and Pharmacy courses in the academic session 2016-17 through e-counseling under WBJEEB:

6.1 On-Line Admission Process (e-counseling)

The schedule of counseling activities is given in Annexure-I.

6.1.1 Two separate e-counseling will be held for WBJEEM-2016 rank holders and JEE Main - 2016 rank holders respectively.

6.1.2 For counseling of WBJEEM-2016 rank holders , there will be three rounds of counseling and allotment of seats. After physical reporting at the end of the each round, the e-counseling will be completed and a Seat Vacancy Report will be generated.

Vacant seats under any of the reserved categories i.e. SC, ST, OBC-A and OBC-B and PWD applicable for candidates merit-listed in the State Common Entrance Examination-2016 (i.e. WBJEEM-2016) shall be converted after the 2nd round of counseling and before the 3rd round of allotment as per standard conversion rules which shall be available in the counseling portal.

6.1.3. Vacant Seats under the TFW category shall not be converted to general/unreserved category, as per AICTE guidelines. The counseling and allotment for TFW candidates shall be continued up to 3rd round, and as such, vacant seats shall not be converted.

6.2. **Steps for On-Line Admission Process (e-counseling)-2016 for WBJEE-2016 Rank Holders :**

Detailed explanation of steps enumerated below will be available in the counseling portal.

6.2.1 **Registration for –e-counseling process:**

For 4-year Degree-level Engineering and Technology courses in respect of all AICTE approved and university affiliated Engg. & Tech. College in the State candidates merit listed in the WBJEEM-2016 having General Merit Rank (GMR) and eligible for e-counseling as declared by the WBJEEB are permissible to participate in the registration process.

For the 4-year Degree-level Pharmacy course conducted by the Jadavpur University, candidates merit listed in the WBJEEM-2016 having **General Merit Rank (GMR)** and eligible for e-counseling as declared by the WBJEEB are permissible to participate in the registration process.

For the 4-year Degree-level Pharmacy Programme in respect of all AICTE approved Pharmacy Colleges (except Jadavpur University) of the State, candidates merit listed in

the WBJEEM-2016 having **Pharmacy Merit Rank (PMR)** and eligible for e-counseling as declared by the WBJEEB are permissible to participate in the registration process.

For the 5-year Degree-level Architecture course (B. Arch), candidates merit-listed in the WBJEEM-2016 having General Merit Rank (GMR) and eligible for e-counseling as declared by the WBJEEB are permissible to participate in the registration process. Additionally, those candidates have to qualify in NATA or any other Aptitude Test.

- 6.2.2 After finalization of Seat Matrix counseling notice shall be uploaded by the WBJEEB.
- 6.2.3 Depositing Counseling Fees of 510/- INR along with bank charges (as applicable). This fee is non-refundable.
- 6.2.4 Creation of Candidate's Identity Code and Password
- 6.2.5 On-line choice filling and choice locking and printing of locked choices.
- 6.2.6 Allotment of seats after the 1st round of iteration.
- 6.2.7. Physical reporting at Reporting Centres – (For detailed list of reporting centre, please refer to ANNEXURE-II) physical verification of the candidate's documents with respect to the eligibility criteria, deposition of initial admission fees: INR 4000/- for TFW Category of students, INR 5000/- for students allotted in State-aided University/University Departments/Govt. Engineering & Technology Colleges, INR 20,000/- for students allotted in Self-financing Engineering & Technology /Pharmacy/Architecture institutes. Student have to exercise option for further up-gradation. Provisional admission letter/allotment card (containing seat allotment detail, fee detail and also willingness for upgradation) will be issued to the candidates at the reporting centre after the fees are paid and all certificates/credentials are found in order. (Admission fee is adjustable and refundable only in respect of candidates withdrawing at the same Reporting Centre where provisional admission was taken in any round of reporting following the refund rules of the Ministry of Human Resource Development , Govt. of India vide No. F-1-3/2007 (CPP-II) dt. 23.04.2007.

Physical reporting at the allotted institutions by the candidates who are not willing to opt for upgradation is permissible after completion of 1st round counseling.

6.2.8 2nd round of seat allotment, publication of result based on vacancy status after first round of reporting. There is no fresh registration and choice filling in 2nd round of counseling.

6.2.9 Physical reporting at Reporting Centres for physical verification of the candidate's documents with respect to the eligibility criteria and deposition of admission fees for fresh candidates and exercising option for up-gradation for fresh allottees.

Physical reporting at the allotted institutions by the candidates who are not willing to opt for up-gradation is permissible after completion of 2st round counseling.

6.2.10 Generation of report on vacancy status after reporting of second round.

6.2.11 Third round of e-counseling and allotment: (a) Running allotment algorithm alike first two rounds; (b) Generation of report for vacancy under all reserved categories (c) Conversion of unfilled / vacant reserved category seats as per standard norms; (d) Running the allotment algorithm for unreserved seats from WBJEEM -2016 candidates; (e) **Publication of result and for physical reporting of fresh allottees and final admission of all candidates in the concerned Institutions.**

The allotment of seats to such candidates who do not report within the stipulated period to the reporting centre (during 1st/2nd /3rd round of counseling) will be cancelled and this candidates will not be considered for seat allotment.

Candidates who have taken the provisional admission in the 1st round can change their willingness for upgradation from YES – upgradation to NO-upgradation after the 2nd round of allotment during the specified period. Change of option from NO to YES is not allowed.

6.2.12 Admission and data up-dating by the institutions in PI module.

6.2.13 Generation of Report on final admission status as well as vacancy status for all participating institutions by NIC and handing over the report to the WBJEEB. After that the WBJEEB shall declare the vacancy list after consulting the office of DTE.

6.3 Counseling process for JEE Main -2016 rank holders will be conducted separately as per the following steps :

- 6.3.1 Notice shall be uploaded by the WBJEEB for JEE Main-2016 candidates for registration and paying fees.
- 6.3.2 Registration, Fee payment and on-line choice filling shall be made by the JEE Main-2016 candidates.
- 6.3.3 JEE Main allotment shall be declared in NIC Portal and candidates shall be asked to report at the reporting centres for verification and payment of initial admission fee and collection of the allotment card from the reporting centre.
- 6.3.4 The candidates who have opted for NO- upgradation shall physically report at Participating Institute (PI).

Candidates who have reported and opted for upgradation shall wait for 2nd round seat allotment.

- 6.3.5 Fresh allottee in the 2nd round shall report for verification , fee payment and collection of allotment offer and old candidates already completed the verification -- both report to the participating institute for final admission.

NOTE : For more details regarding e-counseling Physical Reporting process for both WBJEEM-2016 and JEE Main- 2016 rank holder candidates, concerned website of WBJEEB may be visited.

After completion of the e-counseling and admission thereof for both WBJEE and JEE Main rank holders, the West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board will generate a report on final admission status as well as status of vacant seats for all participating institutions.

Sd/-
(Prof. S. Dasgupta)
Chairman,
West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board

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Dated: June 09, 2016

Copy forwarded for information and taking necessary action to :

1. Principal Secretary, Department of Higher Education, West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, 10th Floor, Kolkata-91
2. The Director of Technical Education West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, 10th Floor, Kokata-91- with request to inform all concerned;
3. The Vice-Chancellor, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology – with request to communicate to all the affiliated institutions;
4. The Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University/ Jadavpur University / Kalyani University/ Burdwan University / West Bengal University of Animal & Fishery Sciences / Uttarbanga Krishi Vishavidyalaya / Bidhanchandra Krishi Vishavidyalaya / Alia University – with the request to communicate to the affiliated institutions, if any;
5. The Director of Technical Education & Training, West Bengal, Vocational Training Institution, Action Area-III, New Town, Kolkata, for kind information;
6. The Registrar, Calcutta University / Jadavpur University / Kalyani University / Burdwan University / West Bengal University of Animal & Fishery Sciences / Uttarbanga Krishi Vishavidyalaya / Bidhanchandra Krishi Vishavidyalaya / Alia University/ Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology – with the request to implement the guideline during admission for 2016-17 academic year;
7. P.S. to Hon'ble MIC, Higher Education Department.

Sd/-

Chairman,
West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board

Annexure-I
Tentative Counseling Schedule 2016

A. WBJEEM – 2016 Counselling Schedule for WBJEEB candidates

Sl No.	Activity	Dates
1.	On line registration, creation of password and payment of registration fee.	15/06/16 – 21/06/16
2.	Online choice filling	15/06/16 – 22/06/16
3.	Choice locking by candidates	20/06/16 – 22/06/16
4.	Choice locking by the system	22/06/16 midnight
5.	1 st round of seat allotment result declaration	25/06/16
6.	Physical reporting for document verification, initial fee payment, collection of allotment cards at RCs, withdrawal of admission etc.	25/06/16 – 01/07/16
7.	2 nd round of seat allotment result.	04/07/16
8.	Physical reporting for document verification at Reporting Centre after 2 nd round of seat allotment/ withdrawal of admission/ initial fee payment (fresh allottee).	04/07/16 – 07/07/16
9.	3 rd round of seat allotment result	11/07/16
10.	Physical reporting at reporting centre (fresh allottee only) after 3 rd round of seat allotment, initial fee payment (fresh allottee).	12/07/16 – 13/07/16
11.	Physical reporting and admission at finally allotted institutes by all candidates, who have an allotted seat.	Up to 19/07/16
12.	e- admission process closes	19/07/16

B. WBJEEM – 2016 Counselling Schedule for JEE Main candidates

Sl No.	Activity	Dates
1.	On line registration, creation of password and payment of registration fee.	03/07/16 – 05/07/16
2.	Online choice filling	03/07/16 – 06/07/16
3.	Choice locking by candidates	05/07/16 – 06/07/16
4.	Choice locking by the system	06/07/16 midnight
5.	1 st round of seat allotment result	09/07/16
6.	Physical reporting for document verification, initial fee payment, collection of allotment cards at RCs, withdrawal of admission etc.	10/07/16 – 12/07/16
7.	2 nd round of seat allotment result	14/07/16
8.	Physical reporting at reporting centre (fresh allottee only) after 2 nd round of seat allotment, initial fee payment (fresh allottee).	14/07/16 – 16/07/16
9.	Physical reporting and admission at finally allotted institutes by all candidates, who have an allotted seat.	Up to 19/07/16
10.	e- admission process closes	19/07/16

ANNEXURE-II
Reporting Centers for e-counseling of WBJEEM-2016

Sl. No.	Code	Name of Institutions
1	RC-1	Asansol Govt. Polytechnic, P.O. South Dhadka, P.S. Asansol North Police Station, Burdwan- 713302
2	RC-2	Central Calcutta Govt. Polytechnic, 21, Convent Rd, Philips, Sealdah, Raja Bazar, Kolkata, West Bengal -700014
3	RC-3	Coochbehar Govt. Engineering College, Harinchawra, P.O. Ghughumari, Coochbehar- 736170
4	RC-4	Darjeeling Govt. Polytechnic, M V Road, Kurseong, Darjeeling, West Bengal – 734203
5	RC-5	Dr. Meghnad Saha Institute of Technology, Haldia, Kshudiram Nagar, Haldia, West Bengal- 721631
6	RC-6	Govt. College of Engineering & Ceramic Technology, 73, A.C. Banerjee Lane, Kolkata -700010
7	RC-7	Govt. College of Engineering & Textile Technology, Berhampore, 4, Cantonment Road, P.O. & P.S. Berhampore, Murshidabad
8	RC-8	Govt.College of Engineering & Textile Technology, Serampore, 12, William Carey Road, Serampore, Hooghly- 712 201
9	RC-9	Indian Institute of Engineering Science & Technology, Shibpur, P.O. Botanic Garden, Howrah- 711 103
10	RC-10	Jadavpur University - Main campus, 188, Raja S. C. Mallik Road, Kolkata - 700 032
11	RC-11	Jadavpur University - Salt Lake Campus, Plot 8, Sector III, Salt Lake, Kolkata- 700 098
12	RC-12	Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College, P.O. Jalpaiguri Govt. Engg. College, P.S. Kotowali, Jalpaiguri- 735 102
13	RC-13	K.G. Engineering Institute, Bishnupur, Bishnupur College Rd, Bishnupur, West Bengal -722122
14	RC-14	Kalyani Govt. Engineering College, P.O. & P.S. Kalyani, Nadia -741 235
15	RC-15	Malda Govt. Polytechnic, P.O. Maliha, Dist. Malda, Pin 732 102
16	RC-16	Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Univ. of Technology, BF-142, Salt Lake, Sector-I, Kolkata - 700 064
17	RC-17	Purulia Govt. Engineering College, P.O. Chas Road, Purulia - 723 103
18	RC-18	Raiganj Govt. Polytechnic, P.O. Raiganj, Dist. Uttar Denajpur, Pin - 733 134
19	RC-19	Suri SRSV (Govt Polytechnic), Suri, Birbhum
20	RC-20	Tripura Govt. Womens' Polytechnic, Hapania, P.O. Amtali via Shekerkote, Agartala, Tripura- 799 130
21	RC-21	University Institute of Technology, Golapbag, Bardhaman - 713104
22	RC-22	University of North Bengal, Raja Rammohanpur, P.O. North Bengal University, Dist. Darjeeling – 734 013
23	RC-23	Vidyasagar University, Paschim Midnapore

